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In response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of the hereinabove referenced patent application, enclosed herewith are:

- 1). Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts;
- 2). An executed Declaration/Power of Attorney signed by inventor; and
- 3). Check for \$65 for surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) for small entity compliance.

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4. Recordation form cover sheet;
5. Executed Assignment of Rights in Invention (Sole Inventor; Single Assignee); and
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